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## Williamsburg.

Mrs. I. L. Gentry is in Louisville purchasing goods this week.

The Jones Lumber Co. expect to rebuild their mill at once on the site of the one burned a few weeks ago.

Miss Mary O'Mara, who has been in business here for some months, expects to move to Corbin and open a stock this week.

Miss M. M. Tutt attended the McKinley inauguration last week. Prosperity had not overcome many of our people until they felt able to attend.

The recent rains have brought in several thousand logs from saw mills and while it helps them it is delaying the farmers very much and they are already much behind.

Owing to a cave-in of the Cumberland Gap tunnel all the freight trains pass this way South, which added to the regular trains makes this branch seem like a Main Line.

Rev. T. Z. Cody, of Georgetown, is holding a meeting at the Baptist church, where much interest is being manifested; there have been several additions to the church.

Wm. Bryant, who was arrested last Thursday by Marshal Wallace, of this place, on a bastardy warrant, made his escape Saturday night. Young Bryant was of a nice family and Mr. Wallace took pity on him and agreed to guard him and that was the way he received his kindness.

The republican primary election is waxing exceedingly warm in this county with about 60 candidates for the various offices. The judge's race leads with 18. The friends of the different candidates have almost come to blows several times over some of the electioneering schemes, of which there are many and some that would do credit to the vilest ward politician. The primary will be held March 23.

On Monday night about 12 o'clock the barn of W. R. Denham was found to be on fire. It was entirely too far gone to save, but the stock in it consisting of a horse, cow and some hogs were gotten out. The fire crossed the alley and burned the barn of C. G. Hoffman also, but owing to a shower having just fallen and hard work of the great number of men there, the further spread of it was prevented. If the weather had been dry no doubt a considerable portion of the town would have been burned as it was in a thickly settled portion.

It is reported that at the Liquor League of Ohio, a short time since a candid officer said: "It will appear from these facts, gentlemen, that the success of our business is dependent largely upon the creation of appetite for drink. Men who drink liquor, like others, will die, and if there is no appetite created, our counters will be empty, as will be our coffers. Our children will go hungry, or we must change our business to that of some other more remunerative. The open field for the creation of this appetite is among the boys. After men have grown and their habits are formed, they rarely ever change in this regard. It will be needful, therefore, that this missionary work be done among the boys, and I make the suggestion, gentlemen, that nickels expended in treats to the boys now, will return in dollars to your tills after the appetite has been formed. Above all things, create appetite!"

## LIFE IN THE WATER.

Each salmon produces about 20,000, 000 eggs.

It is said that the Greenland whale sometimes attains the age of 400 years.

The sea has no herbivorous animal. It is a great slaughter-house, where all the inhabitants prey on each other.

The authorities of the Dominion of Canada have presented the Hawaiian government with 80,000 young salmon, to be placed in the rivers of the Hawaiian Islands.

The most valuable fur is that of the sea otter. One thousand dollars has been paid for a single skin of this animal not more than two yards long by three-quarters of a yard wide.

A colored brother writing to the Bishop to send a preacher said: "Send us a Bishop to preach here Sunday. If you can't send a Bishop, send a Sliding Elder; if you can't spare him, send a Stationary preacher; if you can't spare him, send us a Circus rider; if you can't spare him send a Locus preacher; if you can't do no better, send us an Exhauster."

A dispatch from Nicholasville says: It is now generally believed that Walter Overstreet, who deserted his home and left a note saying he was going to kill himself, has carried out his threat.

One of the most effectual ways of pleasing and of making one's self loved is to be cheerful: joy softens more hearts than tears.—Mme. de Sartory.

It rains on an average of 208 days in the year in Ireland, about 150 in England, at Kozan about 90 days and in Siberia only 60 days.

## Kingsville.

Mr. Fonda has rented his farm and will soon move to Cincinnati.

One of the men who not long since was asphyxiated in the tunnel is now reported as being a raving maniac.

Our canning factory will be ready at the proper time for full operation under the management of Messrs. Roy and Thompson.

Business considering the hard times has continued very fair. Night telegraph operators at this place continue to come and go as if by magic.

Mr. L. F. Wells, of Junction City, made our town a short but pleasant visit last Sunday. Mrs. Della Maher, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. McCarty.

Kingsville is somewhat on a boom—a new residence of the gothic style of architecture, and arabesque ornamentations, is to be erected very soon by Mr. C. G. Baker for his own occupancy.

Two Mormon preachers have been in our neighborhood lately. That part of their religion which makes it imperative on the part of the many wives to support their liege lord is to the men-folk a very attractive feature of their creed.

Every town and village is said to have its "character," we have ours in an eccentric, old man, an old foggy silver democrat. He delights to refer to the simplicity of the early days of the republic, especially of inauguration ceremonies and enjoys telling of Thos. Jefferson riding on horseback to the capital and hitching his horse to a tree nearby, in order to take the oath when inducted into the office of president. He even, to the infinite amusement of the republicans, says that the late pauper and extravagant display of costly apparel and blazing diamonds was a glaring insult (in view of the depressed condition of the people of this country) to the patient and long suffering subjects of his majesty, William McKinley. The old man goes so far as to say the whole thing was in bad taste and was even bad politics; that the chasm between the powers that be, and the people is constantly widening and will at last end in revolution.

## RELIGIOUS.

Rev. J. B. Crouch, of Ludlow, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

Elder J. W. McGarvey, Jr., held a meeting at the Lebanon Christian church, which resulted in 13 additions.

Rev. David T. Condit, who was missionary to Sandwich Islands from 1836 to 1856, is dead at Beloit, Wis., aged 60.

An evangelist named Kuss is now engaged in an effort to convert New Orleans. A man may rise above any handicap.

Rev. W. S. Grinstead will preach at Hebron, the new Methodist church near Cedar Creek. Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. He will administer the sacrament of the Lord's supper.

The Sue Bennett Memorial School at London announces a Normal term commencing March 30, with a charge of \$1.50 to \$3 a month. Board \$2 a week. Address Rev. J. J. Dickey, London.

In one of his Boston sermons Sam Jones said: "I believe that fun is next to religion and the next best thing to fun is money. If the fellow has religion, fun and money, I can't see what else the fool wants."

Preaching at the Christian church Sunday morning and night by Elder J. T. Sharrard. Morning subject, "Conscience;" night "Social Sins and Gambling." The young people's society meets at 6 P. M. Sunday.

Two preachers will be pitted against each other in the Legislative race in Pike county next fall. The democrats have nominated the Rev. W. J. May, while the republicans have selected the Rev. Anderson Hatfield as their candidate.

J. L. Frost, deceased, of Mayfield, willed \$2,500 to the Primitive Baptist church for the erection of a house of worship at Wingo. The will was contested by the heirs of Frost, and the court decided in favor of the church. They will begin the erection of a church at once at that place.

This is the last night of "Uncle Joe" Hopper's meeting at the Maxwell Street church. There will doubtless be a full house to hear the last sermon of this beloved man of God and hear him sing "Old Time Religion." There was a good congregation out last night despite the down pour of rain.—Lexington Leader, 10th.

Through an invitation from Rev. G. R. Davis, chaplain of the Carson, Neb., prison, Fitzsimmons, the pugilist, attended the services Sunday, and led the choir. "Why Wait so Long" was sung and afterward the minister arose and preached a forcible sermon from a biblical text. "Fight not as one that beatieth air," which was very appropriate.

## VICINITY NEWS.

Milt Green, shot and mortally wounded Bley Philpot, at London.

Two births and three deaths occurred in one house in Lebanon Sunday.

Taylor Stivers and John Bailey, miners, were killed by falling slate at Altamont.

John B. Mason, an old man, committed suicide near Lawrenceburg by shooting.

Ed Harper confessed at Mayfield to complicity in a murder and was given a life sentence.

Policeman Amos McGaughey was acquitted at Lawrenceburg of the charge of murdering Al Woods.

G. W. Moore was beaten into insensibility by three Negroes, who overtook him near Pineville.

Casey county will likely vote on the free turnpike question in November. It will carry at least three to one.

James Bowles, an 83 year old Owsley county citizen, saw a railroad locomotive for the first time at Richmond a few days ago.

Richard Tribble, a Madison county Negro, was drowned in Kentucky river near Ford, while trying to jump from one log to another.

Granville Cecil's barn, in Boyle, burned Friday night. The loss is \$3,000, insured for \$2,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

John Beard, ex-chief of police of Nicholasville, charged with embezzling the city's funds, was acquitted to the surprise of everybody.

E. C. Moore, a prominent citizen of Marion county, is the defendant in a seduction suit filed by Emma Wilson, a farmer's daughter, who wants \$20,000 damages.

All the prisoners in the Lebanon jail, eight in number, broke out Saturday night, for the second time within the past month. Five of them voluntarily returned.

Deputy United States Marshal Stringer attempted to capture John Thomas, of Madison, who is wanted on the charge of moonshining, but had to let him go after firing five shots at the fleeing man.

Capt. A. J. Burke, aged 64 years, dropped dead on his farm in Boyle. He probably died of heart disease and had been dead some time when the body was found. The deceased leaves a widow and a large family.

Mike Maloney, a Cincinnati Southern brakeman, fell from a car while crossing High Bridge and had a miraculous escape from death, his hands unconsciously catching the telegraph wires which run alongside the structure.

Editor Ansel D. Miller, of the Richmond Climax, had a dog to bite him one night last week and thinking it mad, he decided to try the famous Burgin madstone. The stone adhered four times. Mr. Miller is doing nicely and apprehends no danger.—Pantagraph.

## BRODHEAD.

Rev. A. J. Pike filled his engagement at Gilead last Sunday.

Dr. Benton is gradually improving and will in course of two or three weeks be able to discharge his duties as of yore.

Dr. J. M. Clark is erecting a large combination building to be used as a dwelling, private office and drug store, with rooms to let.

Mrs. Amanda Ballard, a dashing young widow, received serious internal injuries in falling from the platform leading to Frith & Dunn's store from the railroad last Thursday.

The two-weeks old babe of William Francis died Sunday night and the remains were placed in the Christian Cemetery. This is the first bereavement of the young parents.

Mrs. Ed Albright entertained in royal style at her little cottage home one night last week in honor of her cousin, Miss Mattie, who enters the spring term of Prof. Chandler's school.

Frank Sanders and family, who left Rockcastle some eight or 10 years since, returned to his old place from Grays this week and says that the country of Rocks is far better than that of Knox.

Miss Jennie Reynolds has been confined to her room the past week as the result of a deep cold. John Jarrett, Jr., and Albert Albright are now braving an attack of measles in the last stage. Mrs. J. G. Frith and little son, Ora, are undergoing a siege of the old-fashioned grip.

Oh how anxious the boys are getting about the post-office at this place. It is reported that some of the applicants have gone to Washington to see who is going to be the lucky man, but somehow we can not believe this report. Another report says that Mr. R. L. Totten says that if he is not the successful man George Davison will never get the instructions of this county any more, &c. But if a hard working and never-tiring republican should happen to be the man, Mr. L. L. Jarrett would hand out the mail at Brodhead. But as all the applicants are such nice accommodating, ladies first and then gentlemen, we have nothing to say.

## LANCASTER.

Walker & Hudson bought the Wade Walker farm of 540 acres, for about \$15,000 and paid the cash for it.

George T. Farris has bought a vacant lot on Danville Avenue containing one acre of John Duncan for \$200.

It is reported that a republican will make the race for county judge, independent of party affiliation, but advocating free turnpikes. This will cause a much mooted question to be further discussed and it will insure his defeat.

The meeting of the republican committee on Saturday to nominate candidates for county offices may not be such smooth sailing as was predicted. Some old wounds will not heal. The spirits of George Davison and Speed Smith are moving about and a hypnotic influence is being exerted wherever it will work.

Miss Vandelia Varnum will deliver a lecture in the court-house Monday night, March 22, on the subject: "Who pays the Freight?" The lecture is to be under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., proceeds above expenses to be donated to the K. P. lodge. Miss Varnum comes highly recommended as a speaker. Admission 25 cents.

The young ladies of the Missionary Society of the Christian church, are making extensive preparations for their reception, to be given on Monday night, Nov. 15, at Mrs. Wesley West's. This promises to be one of the social events of the season. They will serve dainty refreshments and promise to all a delightful entertainment.

Quite a sensation was created in the Bryansville section on Monday morning, when it was announced that a female child about one week old had been left at Mr. Pole Cheatem's door about 1 o'clock Sunday night. Some one knocked at the door, but when Mr. Cheatem opened it no one was there but the child. It was well wrapped but was crying piteously. No clue has been discovered as to its parentage. It is believed that Mr. C. will keep the child and raise it. He is a popular man and a good citizen.

A member of the committee who was absent when the report was accepted demonstrated that an error had been committed by reporting the cost of repairs on Section 2, Danville, Lancaster and Nicholasville road at \$163 per mile as the cost for six years past was only \$118 per mile per annum and it would only be \$90 per mile if the president, Charles Boulden, is correct in saying that he can keep it in good order with 15 rods of rock to the mile at \$6 per rod or \$90 per mile. The error arose from the fact that the committee reported that section as 16 miles, when 22 miles should have been considered.

The turnpike fight is on in earnest and will be settled by ballots instead of dynamite. After much discussion the fiscal court decided on Tuesday to order a vote to be taken on the question, whether or not county bonds shall be issued to raise funds to purchase the roads. There are 93 miles and the cost will be about \$30,000. It will be a heated campaign and as it will require a two-thirds vote to carry it, it is not likely to win; especially as times are close and the manner of raising the tax is not equitable and imposes a great burden on those who receive the least benefit from the roads by travel. If the object is to pay the people's way to town, we had as well leave the L. & N. railroad for that purpose.

Circuit court is in session, Judge M. C. Sautey presiding, with Commonwealth Attorney J. S. Owsley ably and zealously watching the interests of the Commonwealth, W. B. Mason taxing cost, Sheriff Robinson and his faithful corps of deputies, and Jailor Bengel—all executing the orders of the court.

The judge delivered a forcible and comprehensive charge to the grand jury on Monday, which not only served the purpose for which it was intended, but served as a valuable lecture to the student of law in reference to the various crimes, the penalty and the production of evidence. The criminal docket is light, there being no murder cases, which speaks well for our county. There is a fairly large civil docket. The following cases have been disposed of: Commonwealth vs. John Ross for furnishing liquor to a minor fined \$50; John Royston breach of the peace fined \$50; William Rous same offense fined \$50; Obediah Garnett selling liquor unlawfully \$50; same for carrying concealed weapons fined \$50. In each of the foregoing cases the fines are to be worked out if not paid. Frank Cockrell and Jesse Mundy, colored, got one year in the penitentiary for house-breaking. Dee Turner was fined \$50 and Mike Turner \$25 for assault and battery.

At Milwaukee, Maggie Kennedy, a former queen of the circus ring, transformed her bed into a funeral pyre and was literally cooked to death. She saturated her bed with kerosene oil, lay down upon it and touched a match to the oil, making no attempt to escape from the flames she had started.

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No. 3. Contains 150 acres, good improvements excellent water, fine apple orchard, nice location very productive, about 5 miles from Stanford. Price \$5,000.

No. 4. Situated in Lincoln county and contains 50 acres, all of which is fine, productive river bottom, with splendid improvements, all under good fence, plenty of never failing water and will produce fine hemp, tobacco and corn. Price \$2,700, terms easy.

No. 5. Situated just outside of city limits on a splendid turnpike and between town and toll-gate; splendid dwelling, barn and all necessary outbuildings, ample water for both domestic and stock purposes. This farm is all under good fence and in a high state of cultivation, in fact its producing qualities are first class and second to none in the county; in addition to this it is contiguous to the city, which is a blessing in the way of being close to the fine educational and religious facilities. Price \$10,000, half cash, balance in 1 and 2 years.

No. 7. Near Crab Orchard, containing 135 acres, well improved in every particular and nicely located. Price \$16 per acre; terms liberal.

No. 25. Contains 400 acres, fine two-story brick dwelling with 8 rooms, splendid barn and all outbuildings, volumes of never failing water, together with a soil that will give satisfaction in the yielding of any kind of farm products. Situated on good pike, close to school and church. Price \$15 per acre; easy terms.

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